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The Coming Event.

Nathans & Co.'s consolidated shows, one of the few really first-class tented enterprises will gratify the circus-loving people of this vicinity by exhibiting in PARIS on Thursday Aug. 9th, and their business will be fully commensurate with the excellent character of their exhibition is our heartfelt wish for the lavish manner in which the leading papers of New York State have devoted their columns to complementing this great organization leads us to anticipate a rare treat. And from among many similar flattering notices, we append the following extract from the *Ogdensburg Daily Journal* of May 21st, which after mentioning the many beauties of the grand free street parade, and the multitude of startling features contained in the museum and menagerie pays the following glowing tribute to the great one-ring circus performance:

Nathans is a legitimate one-ring show—a real genuine circus, every performance of which is clean cut and perfect as any given in the ring. Madame Elise Dockrill, who was last year one of Barnum's best cards, is this year with Nathans. She is not only the best looking horsewoman, but the best and most daring equestrienne in America. Her riding on one, two, three and four horses showed a skill and nerve as wonderful as anything ever attempted in the circus ring. The Ashton brothers are the best trio of acrobats in the business and their daring feats were most marvelous. The horizontal bar performance has never been excelled here; and the trained dogs were a circus in themselves. The DeBar brothers in their specialties showed many new features in contortion and bending, while the tight rope performance was elegant. The bareback riding and back somersaults on horseback was as good as the best. The tumbling was first-class and the lofty flights over many horses culminating in double somersaults were big things. The clowns—three in number, were all good.

A Mad Little Preacher.

The Rev. James M. Bent, of the Millersburg Baptist Church, snubbed the editor of this paper at our depot Wednesday evening in a very ungentlemanly manner, in the presence of several gentlemen of high respectability—presumably for the reproduction of the card from the *Cincinnati Enquirer*, wherein a clerical brother and his son lays the sin of Annanias and Sapphira at his feet.

Having had none but the kindest feeling towards him, we offered our hand in courteous greeting, but it was refused, and the uncomely man with beastly vengeance glaring in his eyes, posed for Satan a few moments and gazed into vacant space out of the car door like a little, mad, scrubb bull wrathfully gazing through the stalwart fence of a stock pen.

It appears that Mr. Bent has given away to the dictates of extreme narrowness, bigotry and ignorance, by his presumption that a newspaper is not a newspaper, and that there is never but one side of a story published for the benefit of those who pay for it, and are entitled to the events of the day in an unbiased way. He considered not that his side of the question and perhaps vindication would have been published in this issue, but was only too happy to allow the animal to predominate over what the clerical garb had passed for a gentleman.

Next Tuesday's News will contain a full and complete exposition of the charges and counter-charges, of the case, provided that Mr. Bent authorizes some gentleman to represent him in an unbiased conference.

PREACHING in the Methodist church tomorrow night and communion services Sunday morning.

Call at J. J. Shaw & Co.'s and see the Light-nig self-sealing glass fruit jar—the best in America. 17/38

E. Hawkins, Louisville, says: "I have used Brown's Iron Bitters and consider it the best remedy for impure blood and loss of appetite."

Crushed possum and sweet potatoes will be one of the leading new shades in ribbons and dress goods this fall.

Carlie Mercury, Miss Carrie Owens, of North Middletown, returned home Sunday afternoon, accompanied by Gathier E. Smith, one of our clothing merchants. Misses Annie Belle and Mattie Ashurst, of Bourbon, after spending several days at the Springs came up to Carlie and remained Sunday, the guests of Miss Carrie Munson.

The Trader, Turfman, Farmer and Sportsman.

Wheat is averaging about 16 bushels to the acre in this county.

Wheat was worth from 96 to 97 cents in this market yesterday.

W. S. Fant, of Fleming, raised 148 bushels of wheat on 4 1/2 acres of land.

A cucumber five feet long and large in proportion is on exhibition in New Orleans. I came from Grand Isle, La.

The Latonia Jockey Club will hold a seven days' running meeting this fall instead of six, beginning September 15th.

The Kentucky Racing Association grounds and track at Lexington have been leased for six years by C. H. White & Co. for \$13,000.

"Where do all the flies go to?" asks an exchange. Why, that's an easy one. They hold camp-meetings around paste pots in printing offices.

Rumors of the weak financial condition of the Kentucky Racing Association, at Lexington are denied by Col. Waters, of the Finance Committee.

At Estill & Hamilton's sale of Short-horns near Lexington Tuesday, 44 head averaged \$291, and aggregated \$12,805, and were sold principally to Tennessee men.

FOR SALE—The handsome two-year-old stallion in the land; by Calliban, out of the dam of Steinsway, with a record of 2:25 1/4 at three years old. He is a bay without blemish. Address W. S. BUCKNER, Cane Ridge, Ky.

Emmett Fitzgerald, a little race rider of this city who has been in thirty-six States and most of the territories, rode Jim Malone for Jesse James, alias Charlie Howard, at Louisville, St. Louis, Chicago and all the racing circuit one season, and did not know that his employer was the noted outlaw until after he was killed and his history published. He also rode a circuit for the outlaw Crowley, who killed thirty-two men and was finally hanged.

At the sale of Short-horns of Grigsby & Robinson at Winchester on last Wednesday, 55 females averaged \$391.50 and 10 males \$253. The females aggregated \$21,535, the bull \$2,530. These are the largest prices brought at any of the previous sales. The 18th Duchess of Crethmere sold for \$1350; 12th Duchess of Crethmere, \$950; 1st Duchess of Crethmere, \$1,000; 10th Duchess of Springwood, \$1,000; 9th Duchess of Crethmere, \$935. All of these are of the Bates blood.

REUNION OF MORGAN'S MEN.

The reunion of the surviving members of Gen. John H. Morgan's raiders which took place at Lexington Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, was the grandest social event in Kentucky this season by a large majority. The dashing and daring young cavaliers of twenty years ago, but now turning life's meridian, assembled on this grand occasion from their scattered homes all over the South and great West, all gladly honoring the occasion that could possibly be there.

It was indeed a happy, yet sad occasion, where swartly veterans—many of whom were tottering on the verge of old age and feeble manhood—met for the first time since the stormy days of '65, and grasp hands in that warm and fervent grasp of a brotherhood made sacred by blood, privations and disasters of untold and unwritten severity. Yet everyone who was there thought that it was good to be there and mingle in solemn conclave ere the sounding of that final "tattoo" which shall call them to assemble in that great and mysterious hence, of which we dream and theorize but know naught of.

The heretofore published programme of exercises was strictly filled, by addresses by Col. Frank Waters, Gen. Basil Duke, Gen. Wm. Preston, Gen. R. M. Gano, Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, and many other celebrated men in their regular order of rotation.

Wednesday was the largest attended day of the occasion, on which there were probably 1,000 members of the old division present, and a fair sprinkling of "comrades" from the Lost Cause in the various departments or the army.

After finishing up the exercises of the day at Woodland Park, such as the delivery of addresses, reading war reminiscences, the division repaired to the First Christian Church in town and formed in procession, being escorted by the College Cadets and Wolf and Trost band, did honors to the remains of their comrade Blakemore, in escorting them to their final resting place in the cemetery, where the procession afterwards filed by their chieftain's grave and then assembled at the graves of the Confederate dead, where decoration ceremonies were gone through with.

NOTES.

Only a very few of the boys got slightly off, but they were exceedingly well behaved.

The boys were thoughtful enough to bring along plenty of corn for "chips"—so Polk Forsyth said.

When the band played "saddle up," "revillee," "tattoo," etc., the old rebel yell rent the air in days of yore.

Charlie Meng, of this county, drove two fine large coach geldings into camp, and everybody wondered where he got them!

In the woods pasture adjoining Woodland Park, were forty or fifty brood mares and colts, and not one of them were stolen by the old raiders.

Several who were slightly enlisted, gave the "girls" at the pea-green mansion on Water street a few lines of the rebel yell as the train passed by Tuesday evening.

Two twelve pound cannons of the Frankfort artillery, furnished the reveille music for the occasion. The noise sounded a little familiar, though a little weak compared with regular business.

Thousands of army reminiscences were brought up in which the phrases "rear," "front," "center," "right wing," "left wing," "left center," etc., were used.

Chaplain Joe. Desha Pickett, Capt. Ralph Sheldon, Col. J. P. Nuckolls, Gen. Gano, Gen. S. B. Buckner, Capt. McFaland, and Col. Dick Morgan were prominent among the crowd at the Phoenix.

Sergeant B. S. Porter, of Fleming, is here. He was first orderly of Co. B, Second Battalion, Thomas Johnson, Colonel commanding. He had with him his old canteen and the muster roll of his company.

Those who wore the blue badges were Morgan's men, and those with the red badges marked "comrade," belonged to the army. Some under Mr. Lee, some under Mr. Bragg, some under Mr. Johnson, and so on.

One of the raider representatives from Clark county, who lost his right arm at Milton, Tenn., was present, as was also Circuit Clerk Longmooor, of Cynthiana, who lost a leg at Cynthiana in '62. Many others were present who were slightly maimed.

John Forman, one of the Morgan raiders, had his six-years-old son on a four-year-old Shetland pony which was but three feet tall and weighed but 300 pounds, on the grounds. The rumor that Fred Riddle put the pony in his pocket and brought it home is untrue, for his pocket had a hole in it and he lost it out.

Of those who belonged to the old "Orphan Brigade" of infantry present Tuesday, were Gen. Nuckolls, Major Higgins, Capt. Hugh Henry, Sergeant Lewis Payne, Henry Payne, Marmix Virden, who lost a leg at Chickamauga, Lee Bradley, Superintendent Joe Desha Pickett, Pat Punch and yours truly.

Miss John H. Morgan, daughter of the chieftain and Miss Duke, daughter of Gen. Basil Duke, two very handsome and entertaining ladies, sitting in a hack on the outer edge of the crowd around the speaker's stand, were the center of attraction Tuesday. Hundreds of the old band were presented to them and warmly received. Miss Duke resembles her father and Miss Morgan her mother. They old "Johnnies" looked on them with almost idolatrous eyes.

Among the specially invited guests was Dr. Tiffany, keeper of Camp Chase while Morgan's were there, and who is here under special invitation, the honored guest of his former prisoners. He was the postmaster of the prison and was every prisoner's friend. Every ex-prisoner present at the reunion, was proud to do him honor on the occasion. When introduced to the daughter of Gen. John H. Morgan, Dr. Tiffany, held her hand and wept.

A prominent feature of the reunion, was the large number of Union soldiers who mixed in with their late opponents, shaking hands making friends and relating to each other reminiscences of the late unpleasantness. One who had been a sergeant-major of Hunt's Federal regiment, and who had been made a prisoner by Morgan's men at Lebanon, said that he desired to shake hands with all of Morgan's men—that they treated him and comrades as gentlemen when they were prisoners.

In reply to a letter of invitation to the reunion, the Hon. Jefferson Davis wrote as follows:

"I sincerely regret my inability to be with you as invited, being too much debilitated by recent illness to bear the fatigue of the journey and the excitement of so joyous an occasion. You have justly appreciated the many endearing memories of my youth which cluster around the place of your meeting, and it would be most gratifying to me to exchange salutations with the survivors of the gallant Kentuckians who left their homes to maintain at every hazard the principles embodied in the early history of their State by the resolutions of 1778. The name of your association is eloquently commemorative of daring deeds performed, of dire suffering borne, and barbarous indignities inflicted on men who had bravely struggled in unequal combat to vindicate the rights their fathers left them."

SCINTILLATIONS.

—Miss Blanche Hart, of Leesburg, is visiting Mrs. Bush Hart.

—Miss Cleo Williams, of Mt. Vernon, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Brooks.

—Miss Fannie Conway, of Frankfort, is visiting Mrs. F. M. Thompson.

—J. Ray McCann, wife and daughter, are visiting relatives in this city.

—C. C. Leer was an interested looker-on at the Morgan reunion Tuesday.

—Capt. Tom Henry, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, was in town yesterday.

—William Kirby, of Louisville, is the guest of his mother at this place.

—Mrs. Lizzie Walker has gone to Nicholasville to make a two-weeks' visit.

—Walter McCann, who has been in Ohio for about a year, is here on a visit.

—M. V. Bostain, of Carlisle, has gone to Mont Vale Springs, Tennessee, to visit his sister.

—Misses Emma Parker and Bettie Berry, of Mason county, are the guests of Mrs. Geo. Collier.

—Miss Mamie Collins, who has been visiting the Misses Letton, left for her home at yesterday.

—Miss Guita Miller, of Richmond, who has been visiting friends here, left for home yesterday.

—This is one of the best mottoes ever followed: "Never trouble trouble until trouble troubles you."

—Dr. David Lyman left Wednesday for New York to buy goods, after which he will visit Saratoga.

—Col. Nim Norton, from Austin, Texas, recently paid his old home in Nicholas county, a visit.

—Gen. Abe Buford is now engaged as the society correspondent of the Louisville Post at Grayson Springs.

—State Treasurer Dick Tate and family, of Frankfort, passed through Wednesday for a weeks' stay at the Blue Licks.

—A man failed in trying to commit suicide at Mansfield, Mass., and next day a railroad train ran over him accidentally.

—Mrs. E. B. Boyd, of Carlisle, passed through here Wednesday evening from an extended visit to her brother in Kansas.

—John Hanton, who clerks for W. W. Gill, is 22 years old, and has been in every town of the Bluegrass region except Lexington.

—Tom Thumb weighed nine pounds at his birth, and his sister, who weighed nine and a half, grew to weigh more than two hundred.

—Mr. J. L. Pinkerton will be offered an important position in the revenue department under Col. Swope, [Lexington Observer].

—Misses Nannie Welsh, Nannie Doyle, Mamie Donnell and Katie Fallon, of Paris, are visiting friends in this city.—[Carlisle Mercury].

Harry Glenn, a retired telegraph operator at Carlisle, has accepted a position in the Western Union office at Cincinnati, and is at his post.

—A New Orleans doctor advertises that he can cure whisky drinking. We guess his plan is to operate with a nine-year-old green sycamore club.

—In modern Egypt a young man is not permitted to see his wife's face before marriage. Even then some of them are sorry that they ever saw them.

—Philadelphia is the Paradise of school marm. Over one hundred of them are reported to have resigned in order to get married. Salary can there be no object.

—Robert Langston's little daughter Elvir, who is only three years old, dances the rag and waltzes beautifully. She is certainly a musical and dancing prodigy.

—Eld. J. M. Thomas will occupy the pulpit of the Christian church next Sunday morning. Subject, "The Apostle Peter: The church he set up was a catholic church."

—O. F. Taylor has written back from Cumberland Falls that he caught fish enough in one day to feed the 200 guests that breakfasted at the hotel next morning. The fish were principally black bass.

—Near fifty excursionists went over to Crab Orchard from this place Tuesday. Among them were Cols. Owens, Thomas and Davis, with sixteen suits of clothes each, with Dave Miller for special tonsorial artist and the Hon. Ike Duffy as chiropodist and valet.

—The burial of James McClure Owen, son of W. H. and Mollie McClure Owen, of Covington, took place here Wednesday afternoon.

—Dr. J. B. Kidd, dentist of Lexington, fell dead across a lady's lap while examining her teeth Wednesday. He was aged 30 years, and a brother of Phil Kidd.

—"Uncle" Tommie Jones, a soldier of the war of 1812, died yesterday afternoon at his residence in this city, in the 92nd year of his age. He had been confined to his bed but a few days, and was a man of powerful endurance.

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